Bill No. 8

AN ACT to authorize and empower Howard County, Maryland, to borrow on its full faith and credit, and to issue and sell its bonds therefor, at one time or from time to time within four years from the date this Act becomes effective, an amount not exceeding \$540,000, the proceeds thereof to be used for the planning, construction, furnishing and equipping of the central zone highway maintenance facility (Project No. C-0114) and county office building II (Project No. C-0102) and payment of related costs; and to levy taxes upon the assessable property within the county to pay the principal of and interest on any bonds so issued; as the county council may by ordinance provide; and providing that any bonds so issued are specifically exempt from the provisions of Article 31, Section 11 of the Annotated Code of Maryland.

Approved March 2, 1982.

Bill No. 9

AN ACT amending Section 16.108 "Definitions" and Section 16.113 "Highways, Streets and Roads" of Title 16 "Planning, Zoning and Subdivision and Land Development Regulations" of the Howard County Code to clarify the law concerning cul-de-sacs.

Approved March 2, 1982.

Bill No. 14

AN ACT repealing Subtitle 3 "Disclosure Act" of Title 10 "Elections and Election Districts" and Subtitle 2 "Conflict of Interest" of Title 22 "General Provisions, Penalties and Rules of Interpretation"; adding Subtitle 2 "Public Ethics" to Title 22 "General Provisions, Penalties and Rules of Interpretation" of the Howard County Code in order to clarify procedures regarding financial disclosure and conflict of interest, to require lobbying disclosure, to create a Public Ethics Commission, to delineate its duties and generally to provide for the ethical handling of public matters.

Approved May 27, 1982.